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| REFERENCE TO: | NEW COLT (AN-2) AIRCRAFT CRATES CUBA | 25 X 1 |
| 1. SIGNIFICANCE: 2. LOCATION: | OBSERVATION OF COLT (AN-2) CRATES ON THE DECK OF A SOVIET MERCHANT SHIP IN HAVANA PORT AND AN INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF COLT CRATES AT PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD INDICATE THAT CUBA WAS PROBABLY RECEIVING A NEW SUPPLY OF COLT AIRCRAFT FROM THE SOVIET UNION. LA HABANA PORT FACILITIES ARE AT 23-07N 082-20W. PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD IS 14.5 NM SW OF HAVANA PORT AND 3.5 NM SW OF SANTA FE, AT 23-02N 082-34W. | 25X1 25X1 25X1 |
| HAVANA HARBOR. ON CRATES WERE OBSERVED AT | ON A SOVIET VYBORG-CLASS MERCHANT COLT AIRCRAFT CRATES ON DECK WAS IDENTIFIED IN 26 NEW COLT AIRCRAFT CRATES AND 14 COMPONENT PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD. ON AN ADDITIONAL AND 29 COMPONENT CRATES WERE PRESENT AT THE AIRFIELD. AT PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD ON INCLUDED ONE | 25X1 25X1 25X1 25X1 |
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COKE, ONE CRATE, ONE SMALL SINGLE-ENGINE TWIN-BOOM STRAIGHT-WING AIRCRAFT, AND TWO HIP-C HELICOPTERS.

4. REMARKS:

THE AN-2 AIRCRAFT IS USED IN CUBA FOR COMMER-

CIAL FLIGHTS ON THE ISLAND AND FOR CROP DUSTING.

25X1

ENLARGEMENT FACTOR: 25X

INSET: 50X

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